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FROM PICTON TOWN

THE FIRE SYSTEM TO BE RE-ORGANIZED.

A High School Award—The Farmers Are Getting in Lots of Ice For Dairy Purposes.

Picton, Feb. 13.—The first award of the Dr. McCabe matriculation scholarship, for Picton high school, has been made to Miss Helen Louise Davison, daughter of R. Davison, of Picton, and who is at present attending Victoria College, Toronto. The late Dr. McCabe, an old Prince Edward boy, willed $500 to Picton high school, the interest of which is yearly to be applied as a scholarship reward to the pupils of the school, entering University of Toronto in the highest standing.

It is understood that the town council intends shortly to re-organize the fire department. This is very timely, in view of the conditions which existed at the recent big fire. It was over an hour before all the firemen were on the scene. The firemen didn't hear the bell. The first need is to instal a fire alarm system in the home of every firemen. There is no fault to find with the water pressure. Unless the remedy is soon applied, it is the fear of many citizens that the underwriters will pay the town a "little call," and up will go the fire rates.

News was received in town, this morning, of the death of George Clark, at Rockwood hospital, Kingston, on Tuesday night. Mr. Clark has been in failing health for the past couple of years, but had only been confined to the hospital a few months, owing to a temporary derangement. The late Mr. Clark had been a resident of Picton for four years, living quietly, previous to which he was proprietor of the Milford hotel. He was well and favorably known throughout town and county. Deceased was about sixty years of age. He is survived by a widow, and three married daughters, one of whom is Mrs. Martin, wife of Manley Martin, proprietor of the Tecumseh hotel, Picton.

After an illness of pneumonia Charles Hinenan, a well-known farmer, died, on Sunday, at his home, at Point Traverse.

Tuesday night, in the Bijou Opera House, the Picton minstrels gave a very creditable performance, reflecting praise on an amateur production. A good sized audience attended. The principles in the evening's performance included: Mr. Scott, Lavell brothers, Leo Saunders, E. Currie, W. H. Grant, C. Morgan, A. Sullivan, G. Way, M. Pickering, Mr. Kelly, John Betts and Edward Rand.

In a spirited match at the rink, last evening, a picked team representing the high school, defeated the business college puck chasers, by 8 to 2 goals.

Many of the farmers are of the opinion that this winter has been a particularly hard one on cattle. The intense cold has necessitated good feeding, and stacks and bins are lower now than usual at this time of the year.

Providing ice for the summer is more general in the country this year than ever before. The farmers were taught, by last year's warmth, and the result:ant souring of milk, making it unfit for factory use, that a cooling substance was an essential to keep the milk fit for cheese purposes. Prince Edward cheese has a standard which it cannot afford to lose. As a result, where not obtainable in the immediate neighborhood, many farmers are cutting and drawing ice from outside Picton harbor.

B. R. Hepburn has been in attendance at the annual meeting of the Ratepayers Association of Steamboat companies in Buffalo. Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Owens, of Bloomfield, representing the Bloomfield Packing company, are, this week, attending the canners' convention, in Buffalo.

Rev. W. L. Armitage went to Peterboro, to-day, to address the Sunday school convention in his former parish. A. H. Allan, of the Homestead canning factory, and Messrs. W. R. Wright, E. Wright and Edward Boulter, are in Buffalo, this week, Picton representatives to the canners' convention.

La Grippe Mastered.

La Grippe can and should be cured as soon as it starts. The remedy to use is Wade's Cold Cure Tablets (Laxative). It provides just the aid required to prevent the disease getting hold of you. Just as effective for curing colds and for headache and constipation. In boxes, 25c. Sold only at Wade's Drug Store. Money back if not satisfactory.

The old ferry steamer the Mary Ethel, abandoned on the shores of Prince Edward, has been sold for $100 to D. Phillips, Belleville. The vessel will be torn apart. There is some valuable machinery. The vessel was built in 1879.

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NEWS FROM NEWBORO.

B. Kerr Lost in Snowstorm and Had Feet Frozen.

Newboro, Feb. 13.—The dates of this year's fair are set for August 31st to September 2nd. H. S. Foster was appointed treasurer and J. A. Moriarity was re-elected secretary. It was decided to secure the services of expert judges for horses, cattle and swine.

Miss S. J. Grothier, who has been dangerously ill for some time, is slowly recovering. William Spicer's sawmill commenced the season's operation on Monday. There is an unusually large number of logs at the mill this year, and more will be brought in if the good roads continue. R. P. Tett was in Kingston, last week, attending the "At Home" given by the Kingston Business College.

The surveyors of the Canadian Northern railway, who have been working in this vicinity for the past two weeks, have completed the survey of the line between Verona and Smith's Falls. A party of fire surveyors of the Grand Trunk railway are now at work in the vicinity of Portland, working on the survey of the Kingston-Ottawa line. It is reported that this line will cross the Rideau here.

William Pound held a bee, on Thursday, drawing brick from Philipsville to his home, near here. He will erect a large residence in the spring. Mrs. E. Houghton is seriously ill. Miss Lizzie Barker, who has been visiting for some time at Chaffey's Locks, has arrived home. George Morris, of Crosby, has moved into the small house on R. G. Leggett's farm, lately vacated by L. Joyce, who has moved into D. Alguire's farm, near Elgin Station. Mrs. John Shaw is recovering from her recent illness.

Benjamin Kerr, of this place, was called to Westport, on Tuesday, on business. In the evening he started for home and decided to take a short cut by going through the fields, but he became lost in the snow storm and wandered around all night, vainly searching for shelter and calling for help. In the morning he arrived at Thomas Gorsline's, near Bedford Mills, with his feet and hands badly frozen. Prompt action on the part of Mr. Gorsline saved the frozen members, and little harm was done. Mr. Kerr will be able to be around in a few days, little the worse of this adventure.

The first of the winter meetings of the Farmers' Institute were held, here, on Wednesday afternoon, and evening, 6th inst. The deputations sent by the department were the best ever heard here. Mr. Stephens, of Huntington, Que., spoke at the afternoon session, on the breeding of dairy cattle, and in the evening on how to keep our boys and girls on the farm. W. J. Kerr, an old Newboro boy, and son of Edward Kerr, spoke on the growing of apples and plums for commercial purposes, in the afternoon, and in the evening, on the relation of the garden to the home. J. R. Dargavel, M.P.P., president of the Eastern Ontario Dairymen's convention, was present at both sessions, and spoke at considerable length on the present condition of the dairy business in Ontario.

GANANOQUE NEWS.

A Social Event Held in St. Andrew's Church.

Gananoque, Feb. 14.—The annual tea meeting held in the lecture room of St. Andrew's church last evening, under the auspices of the young peoples' association, was a successful one. Rees' orchestra furnished a number of selections, while tea was being served. A splendid programme of vocal and instrumental music was furnished and also addresses by Mayor McCammon, and Rev. Professor Laird, of the Royal Military College, Kingston. In the vocal part three admirable and well received solos were given by G. B. Cummings, Kingston.

A children's tea was served in the lecture room of St. Andrew's church last evening, from 5 to 7 o'clock, followed by a short programme; there was a goodly attendance of the young folk.

Adjutant Ernest Sims, of the Salvation Army, Kingston, lectured last evening at the barracks, Pine street, his subject being "A Bold Thief," and an able exposition of things at the present day, and was an excellent argument throughout in behalf of temperance.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Dillon, Charles street, entertained a number of their young friends at their home last evening. A sleigh load of young men and ladies of the town went out to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nuttall, South Lake, last evening.

W. H. Jackson, of Peterboro, who was expected to take charge of the organ and choir at St. Anthony's church, next Sunday, will not be available for duty here until early next month.

Smuggled Out Of Canada.

Boston, Feb. 14.—Two pretty Armenian girls, Yerksa and Vastanuch Gastigian were before the special bar of examination at the immigration office, yesterday, charged with being illegally in the country. Both are suspected of having unlawfully crossed the Canadian border. Their father, who lives in Chelsea, is alleged to have aided them. The officials think that the oldest girl was deported from this country some years ago as a victim of trachoma. A score of relatives have been summoned in the case and an attempt will be made to prove that there was an examination at the Canadian border.

Five Children In 18 Months.

Pittsburg, Feb. 14.—The family of Charles Stevenson, of Kittanning, Pa., near here, has increased by five members in the last eighteen months. In the latter part of 1905 triplets arrived and last night twins were born. All the children are doing well.

It has been estimated that 90,000 pianofortes are manufactured every year in London alone.

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STRANGE LANGUAGE

UNKNOWN TONGUE RECOGNIZED AT LAST.

Language Experts of the International Correspondence Schools Become Interpreters For the Town of Waterloo, Iowa.

The language of the old man of Waterloo, Iowa, has at last been interpreted. He wandered into the town of Waterloo about ten days ago, aged and decrepit, and speaking a tongue that no one could understand.

After every means at hand failed to discover what the old man's words were meant to convey, the local agent of the International Correspondence Schools took up the case and with the characteristic energy of an I.C.S. agent, vowed he would get intelligence out of the strange old man's articulations, if he had to try every country on the globe for an interpreter. With this in mind he had the old fellow tell his wants into a phonograph and the resultant record was forwarded to the home office of the International Correspondence Schools at Scranton, Pa., with the story of the dilemma of the town of Waterloo. When the record was received at the schools, the immense machinery of this great educational mill was at once set to work to grind intelligence out of this seeming incomprehensible jargon. Prof. Lamaze, dean of the I.C.S. School of Languages, was put to no little trouble in having the translation made, but finally it was discovered that the tongue was a dialect of the Hungarian language, spoken by a people called Horvarts, who dwell in a forest district in Austria. What the old man spoke into the phonograph was as follows:

"I am Theodore Yaleb. I am in jail. I understand they ask me for address from my friend or brother. I am in jail. I do not know what for. When I work, I pay for room, but I haven't got a penny. Address Austria P.O., Buchdyna. I have there friends, Brother Peter and son, Siergie. I am in such a place that there are no Horvarts here and no one can understand me, but when I work I will pay for room and dinner, but now I haven't got anything."

It is now proposed that the chief of police of the town of Waterloo send to the I.C.S. the questions that he wishes to ask the mysterious old man. These will be translated on a phonograph record by the schools into this peculiar form of Hungarian dialect. The phonograph record will then be sent to the schools' agent at Waterloo, who will have the questions that it bears spoken by the phonograph to the old man. The latter will answer these questions on another record which will be sent to the schools to be again translated into English and the result sent back to the chief of police of Waterloo.

This incident may bring to mind the fact that the I.C.S. system of language instruction is fast being recognized as the most practical and successful in the world. The French, German and Spanish embassies at Washington have already officially endorsed it. It is used in the class room instruction in the United States Army General Service and Staff College at Fort Leavenworth. The University of Chicago has lately discovered the value of language instruction by phonograph and is adopting this system in its class rooms.

Those in this locality who realize the benefit, both socially and financially, which comes to those who understand a foreign language, should communicate with J. K. Carroll, 57 Brock street, Kingston, who will be glad to explain the I.C.S. system of language instruction in detail.

Invalid feeding cups at Chown's.

G. F. McKim, proprietor of the Smith's Falls Record, has been appointed government employment agent for that district.

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BY A MOTHER WHO KNOWS

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VOICE FROM BRAZIL

PROF. J. W. HART WRITES ABOUT THAT COUNTRY.

The Climate is Delightful—He is Director of a Government Model Farm—What Brazil Wants From Canada.

Piracicaba, Brazil, January 11.—(To the Editor): Your cordial letter of December 5th reached me a few days since. Had I read the British Whig more diligently, I should not have written for a premium list of the Kingston district fair. I was sorry to hear of its untimely death, but trust that some day there may be a glorious resurrection, accompanied by the blowing of trumpets, ringing of joy-bells, lowing of kine, bleating of sheep, etc., not to mention the inevitable speeches. But I forget that we never had any speeches in ours, during my time at least. Perhaps this is one of the causes of its lamented decease. Toronto fair always invested heavily in "wind" and this may be one reason why it is "going, going and gone" ahead. I make no charge for the suggestion that, with your well-known liberality in the matter of "free puffs," with all the "gas wells" of Kingston to tap, and with the co-operation of its loyal citizens, there is no reason why Kingston fair should forever occupy the lowly position of John Brown's body.

Yes, we, I speak for the family, are all enjoying our life in Brazil. If I could have friends around me like I left in Kingston, I wouldn't accept a complimentary pass to Paradise. Brazil is a magnificent country and the climate of the highlands, where we live, may be described in the one word, delightful. Excessive heat, such as one finds in the Southern United States, is quite unknown. In June and July one is decidedly chilly indoors without a fire, and even during the summer we have many mornings when an open fire is a decided addition to one's comfort. In the winter of 1905 we had two light frosts in August.

Piracicaba, where we live, is nearly as large as that beautiful Canadian city, celebrated as having a diminishing population between the last two decennial census periods. It is situated on a river of the same name, the waters of which reach the sea through the great Rio de la Plata. The water power here is partially developed, and the falls would furnish about 14,000 horse power at the dryest season. The Fazenda Modelo (Model Farm), of which I am director, has an area of 785 acres, about one-fourth of which is in cultivation. The soil is a deep rich clay loam and very productive. Our principal farm crops are corn, rice, beans and cotton. Fruits, such as oranges, lemons, bananas, pineapples, mangoes, alligator pears, and many others known only in the tropics grow well and permanent plantations are being set out. All the common garden vegetables grow well, being of rapid growth, tender and succulent. We have about fifty men on our payroll and use the best modern farm machinery. As we pay rather higher wages than common, we have an excellent class—I had better say classes—of farm labor, composed of native Brazilians, Italians, Portuguese, Germans and Spaniards. This year our annual grant has been increased to thirty thousand dollars. This state, San Paulo, is the most wealthy and progressive of the twenty states forming the Republic of Brazil. It may surprise you to know that 60 per cent. of the world's coffee is shipped from our port of Santos. Such terms as "Mocha" and "Java" are nothing but trade names. The size of the mesh used in the screens makes the difference, both kinds growing on the same tree in Brazil. If Canadians could get the pure essence of the roasted berry as we have it in Brazil, there would be slight opening for the spurious imitations, and adulterations that too often masquerade under the name of coffee. Some of our largest estates number their coffee trees by the million—and it is an inspiring sight to stand on some eminence in the midst of a big coffee fazenda, when the plants are covered with fragrant bloom or later when the clusters of red berries present a striking contrast to the glossy green of the evergreen foliage.

Our foreign trade is chiefly with Europe, as far as imports are concerned. Our coffee goes mostly to the United States and because that highly protected country cannot compete except in a few lines with Europeans in manufactured exports, we see ships loading coffee and sugar, at Brazilian ports for the United States, which on their arrival charter to European ports and complete the triangular voyage by bringing us manufactured goods from Europe. Between Brazil and European ports there are fleets of fine steamers with regular sailing dates. From England we get weekly mails, while from the United States passengers and mail come by a small slow line of boats with monthly sailings. Since the third Pan-American congress, held a few months ago at Rio de Janeiro, the United States is waking up to the advantages of cultivating the Brazilian market. Already Canada has an important trade with Brazil, which under the advantages of direct communication might be enormously increased. Perhaps some reason exists why Canadians should continue to pay tribute for the privilege of shipping us her produce via New York and Europe, that I am ignorant of. We need your breeds of improved live stock, dairy products, fish, lumber, coal, iron and manufactured goods, and can supply you with coffee, sugar, cotton, tropical fruits, and products of all kinds, hides and valuable cabinet woods. I might quote figures from our trade returns to show the extent of this commerce under the present almost prohibitory conditions, but I have already spun this letter, begun as a personal message, to the usual modest limit of your columns.—Yours very truly, J. WILLIAM HART.

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Wednesday morning Mrs. Lillian May Graves, a former young Brockville lady, passed away in the general hospital at Cornwall, where she had been ill for the last fourteen weeks with a complication of diseases. Deceased was a step-daughter of Joseph H. Perkins, and was twenty-eight years of age.

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This is the Unitarian message to the human soul: "Cut yourself free from dependence on the old stalk of religious tradition. Sink your own roots into the soil of truth. You have within yourselves the germ of independent life. Draw directly from the resources of nature. Be no more dependent upon the life of another or the life of the mass. Develop your own life. Depend on your own force. Refuse to be dependent. Cease trusting in forces exterior to yourself. Trust yourself.

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BATTERSEA REPORTS.

Rev. W. H. Sparling's Fine Sermons and Lecture.

Battersea, Feb. 12.—Anniversary services were conducted in the Methodist church, last Sabbath. Rev. Mr. Waddell was fortunate in having secured the assistance of Rev. W. H. Sparling, B.A., of Kingston, for the occasion. His sermons at both services were intensely interesting and edifying, and his afternoon talk at the Sunday school was much appreciated by the teachers and scholars. On Monday Mr. Sparling delivered his lecture on his "Trip Through Europe." Although the night was exceedingly cold a fairly large audience was present, and at the conclusion of the lecture a hearty vote of thanks was tendered the speaker. Special music was rendered by the choir. Subscriptions were solicited for financial aid towards meeting the expenses incurred by the repairs and improvements lately added to the church and shed; and in response to Mr. Sparling's clever and tactful way of asking for it, in a short time $132 were subscribed. The regular quarterly services were held, on the 3rd inst., and were conducted by the pastor. The quarterly official board convened on Monday afternoon.

On Tuesday afternoon, Dr. Spankie, public school inspector, addressed the trustees, parents and pupils of the school, giving a comprehensive interpretation of the newly legislated school act. The genial doctor's mission is a worthy one and calculated to clear up many hazy minds on the subject. G. S. Wakeford's new sawmill is running daily and doing first class work. Percy Gilbert, while employed as tail-sawyer, had the misfortune to lose the ends of all the fingers of one of his hands. Mrs. Wesley Merriman received the sad news of the death of her sister-in-law, Mrs. J. L. Thorne. Visitors: Mrs. VanNess and daughter, Verona; Stephen Lake Picton; Misses Ennis, Perth Road; F. R. and Miss Sarah Anglin, Brewer's Mills; Edward Anglin and family, and Mrs. T. Anglin, of Pine Grove; John Anglin and wife, H Taylor.

A Quaint Old Apple Tree.

Cornwall, Feb. 14.—"In the shade of The Old Apple Tree" has a new meaning if you refer to the apple tree planted on lot No. 22, second concession of Williamsburg township, Dundas county, in the year 1824, by one of the original settlers, Jacob Swerdfeger. This tree, which is now over eighty years old, has a girth of nearly six feet, and is known throughout the whole section on account of its seedless fruit. This fruit is always of a fine flavor and for some years it is even coreless. The farm is at present owned by R. Swerdfeger & Son.

No man who never had a mother-in-law knows anything about a monarchical form of government.

The speed of the falcon often exceeds 160 miles an hour.